

SENATOR CULLOM'S SEAT IS QUESTIONED

Senator Bailey Replies to Root's Attack on Lorimer. Sensational Day in Upper House of Congress.

WE SAY ASSEMBLY ROTTEN

New York Senator in Two-Hour Speech Bitterly Assails Right of Chicago's Blonde Politician to Hold Seat, Owing to Flagrant Use of Money to Secure Election—Three Members of Committee Defend the Majority Report.

Washington, Feb. 4.—Senator Root of New York furnished the feature of the senate session with his speech in which he declared that Senator William Lorimer of Illinois should be excluded from his seat because of corruption by which his election was brought about. Root spoke for more than two hours and his speech made a profound impression on the senate.

Following the conclusion of Mr. Root's speech Senators Bailey, Heyburn and Paynter defended the report of the committee on privileges and elections, of which they are members, and declared that the testimony before the committee showed that Senator Lorimer was entitled to his seat.

Senator Bailey replied that if Mr. Lorimer was to be excluded because of corrupt conditions in Illinois politics, then his colleague, Senator Cullom, would probably be subjected to the same process of elimination, for it would probably be shown that the legislature which elected him was also corrupt. Mr. Bailey's remark was called out by an observation of Senator Hale that the testimony in the Lorimer case showed a shocking condition of corruption in the Illinois legislature.

At the conclusion of the Lorimer matter, the controversy which arose over the legislative right of way was resumed. Senator Nelson moved that the senate proceed to the consideration of the bill authorizing a leasing of coal lands in Alaska. Senator Borah of Idaho moved to lay the motion on the table, but his motion was defeated on a rollcall.

Old Line Regulars Amazed

Three Representatives Threaten to Bolt Apportionment Caucus.

Washington, Feb. 4.—Caucus rule among the Republicans of the house threatens to go to smash over the apportionment bill. Republican leaders started with amazement when they learned that such hard-shelled regulars as Representatives Green of Massachusetts, Langley of Kentucky and Austin of Tennessee, who have always stood without being hitched, intended to carry out their threats and oppose the apportionment that was approved by the party caucus. The three members named are mild enough under ordinary circumstances, but they are mad over the apportionment bill and will go as far as necessary in fighting the caucus measure, which provides for a house of 391 members.

Entire Health Board Resigns.

Elmira, O., Feb. 4.—The entire health board of five members has resigned in a body. Confusion as to the length of the members' terms, resulting from failure to properly record appointments following the shifting of the appointing power from the council to the mayor under the municipal code adopted several years ago, was the cause.

SENATOR CULLOM

Name Brought Into Lorimer Scandal by Senator Bailey.



PRODS PROSECUTORS

Hogan Tells Them to Get Busy With Collection Suits.

Columbus, O., Feb. 4.—Attorney General Hogan will send announcements to every prosecuting attorney in the state that in the future all recommendations for securing the return of misappropriated funds from county officials must be followed by prosecuting attorneys. In the past the board of accounting has made findings, but in many instances the reports are filed and that is the last heard of them. The state loses annually thousands of dollars in this way, where prosecuting attorneys refuse to prosecute for personal or political reasons.

Arrest Woman as Grave Robber. Stanford, Ky., Feb. 4.—Mrs. Amanda Harrison, who had disappeared after the grave of George B. Sautley in Stanford cemetery was opened and for whom a warrant had been issued as the ghoul, was arrested at the home of her uncle in Adair county. Mrs. Harrison had been driven there by Raymond Smith, a tenant on her farm, who also was arrested.

Posse In Hot Pursuit Of Negro

Wilson, N. C., Feb. 4.—The greatest excitement prevails over the shooting of Deputy Sheriff George Munford and the probable fatal shooting of Chief of Police A. O. Glover, by a negro. Armed posses are hunting for the negro and a lynching is inevitable, according to telegrams sent out by the police to nearby cities. The negro thus far has eluded capture. The officers were attempting to arrest the negro on a burglary charge.

Residents of Hannibal, Mo., Are Preparing to Honor Mark Twain



RESIDENTS of Hannibal, Mo., are preparing to recognize the greatness of Mark Twain, the city's distinguished citizen, by dedicating a park to his memory and by turning his old home into a permanent monument and museum. The home is not of much value pecuniarily, though it is in a fair state of preservation. A movement is already under way, fostered by the Commercial club of Hannibal, for the purchase of the house and lot, which was visited by Mr. Clemens only a few years before his death. The Commercial club has also recently purchased eighteen acres of land just south of the city, which includes the bluff known as "Lovers' Leap" and a half mile of picturesque scenery. The genial humorist often declared that when he was taken to Hannibal at the age of four the bluff was merely a mole hill, and he saw it grow as he grew. "Lovers' Leap" is now 265 feet high, and it commands a magnificent view of the Mississippi river above and below Hannibal. A bill has been introduced in the Missouri legislature appropriating \$10,000 for the erection of a monument to Twain in Hannibal. The Commercial club has promised to deed the riverside property to the city as a perpetual park. There is every indication that the bill will be passed and that Missouri thus will honor the most distinguished literary man the state has produced. Samuel L. Clemens was born in Florida, a little town up Salt river about thirty miles from Hannibal.

PRESIDENT TAFT OFFERS TO AID SETTLEMENT

Of Difficulties in Honduras—Makes Favorable Reply to Davila's Appeal. Object is to Prevent Bloodshed in Revolution, Bound to Follow Failure to Adjust Differences.

HONDURAN CRISIS AT HAND

United States Government Will Send Emissary to Insurgent Camp For Purpose of Arranging Armistice. Commander of Gunboat Marietta Ordered to Prevent Hostilities in Puerto Cortez—Loan Convention Can Not Be Ratified at Present.

Washington, Feb. 4.—In a dispatch to President Taft, President Davila of Honduras makes a strong appeal to the United States for the exercise of its good offices to end the revolution in that country. President Davila says:

"The government of Honduras is resolved to approve the loan convention. For this suspension of hostilities is necessary in order to prevent the useless shedding of blood. If your excellency can lend your valorous intervention to that end the war may cease, the people and the government of Honduras will have cause again to thank the United States and its worthy president for the interest they are taking for the tranquility and prosperity of this country."

Taft Makes Favorable Reply. The president has sent this reply: "I have received your excellency's telegram as evidence of your sincere desire to prevent useless bloodshed and disastrous waste of the already depleted resources of your country, and as a fresh token of your appreciation of the fact that the government

of the United States is animated solely by a sincere desire to do what it can within proper limits to further the prosperity and welfare of the people of Honduras. The importance of the loan negotiations to which you allude lies in their being a contributory means to the same end, and this government's interest is because their object commends itself alike to all true friends of the people of Honduras, for whose benefit and only with whose sanction its consummation is desired. You will have learned from our minister of what this government has been able to do in offering its good offices to secure peaceful adjustment of the pending difficulties and to prevent fratricidal conflict."

As a result of this exchange of messages instructions were sent to Commander Cooper of the gunboat Marietta, directing him to communicate with the leader of the insurgents for the purpose of arranging an armistice, if possible, for the purpose of adjusting the pending difficulties. He was also directed not to allow any fighting in the town of Puerto Cortez, which is unfortified, and where there are large foreign interests.

Young Watterson Insane.

Kingsport, N. Y., Feb. 4.—That Ewing Watterson, son of Henry Watterson of Louisville, Ky., who on July 1 last shot Michael J. Martin at Saugerties, N. Y., was and still is insane and should be confined in an asylum was the report of a commission to Judge Cantine. Young Watterson will be sent to an asylum.

AMERICANS FLEEING FROM JUAREZ CITY

Across the Rio Grande Into El Paso When Rebel Troops Threaten to Bombard the Mexican City—Many Mexican Officials Join in the Exodus.

SCENE AT EXPLOSION

New Jersey Pier After Dynamite Lets Go.



Photo by American Press Association.

Second Conviction Causes Stampede

Newark Rioters Make Rush For Immunity Bathtub.

Newark, O., Feb. 4.—That there will be a general rush to turn state's evidence by the 15 alleged lynchers held in connection with the July riot was indicated when attorneys for the prisoners and for the state were long in conference.

The conviction of William McKinley by the jury, which reported a verdict of manslaughter, has thoroughly frightened the remaining men. The jury, which tried McKinley for first degree murder, was out six hours.

The testimony adduced at the trial showed that McKinley had hold of the rail with which the jail door was forced on the night of Etherington's murder. He assumed a prominent part on the day of the lynching in inciting the mob spirit and entered the jail half an hour before the murder, supposedly to ascertain the exact location of Etherington's cell. The evidence did not show that he had a part in the actual killing.

Is Now Ready For Hopper

Utilities Bill to Reach Legislature Next Monday.

Columbus, O., Feb. 4.—It is expected that Representative Winters and Senator McGuire will introduce in the house and senate Monday the Democratic administration utilities commission measure. The bill is said to be more conservative than the Woods bill, about which an exciting fight was waged a year ago. It extends the regulatory powers of the state railway commission to all public utilities. A limited control of rates is provided, but no power is provided to grant franchises.

No date has been set for a Dean bill hearing in the house. The temperance committee will not get together to arrange for a hearing until next week.

CITY IS ALMOST DEFENSELESS

Garrison of 300 Men Has Not Been Reinforced and Is Expected to Ward Off Attack of 1,000 Insurgents Armed With Machine Guns. American Soldiers Not Wanted and Talk of Intervention Looked Upon as a Bluff.

El Paso, Tex., Feb. 4.—The rebel army is now within a few miles of Juarez and that city is completely isolated from the rest of Mexico. It is within easy striking distance, and members of the insurgent junta here say the attack upon the town is only being delayed until notice can be served on the foreign consuls of the intention to attack, inasmuch as the rebels carry machine guns and some field pieces and will bombard the place if necessary. Americans are leaving in droves in anticipation of a hot time.

The Juarez garrison has not been reinforced, and with less than 300 armed men it stands absolutely no show against the 800 or 1,000 revolutionists in the advancing column. Antonio Ponce de Leon, for 12 years chief of police of the beleaguered city, resigned and came to El Paso with his family. Customs Collector Adolfo Baret and Postmaster Eduardo Rodriguez have moved their families to El Paso and are spending their nights here. Several of the volunteer citizen guards of Juarez express deep dissatisfaction over the removal of these officers in time of need, and as a result some say they will quit serving as guards. Enrique Calderon, chief of volunteers, has also resigned.

Don't Want Interference.

Colonel M. Tambora, commanding the Mexican federal troops, when told that Washington authorities were discussing the advisability of sending American soldiers to prevent the bombardment of Juarez, declared he did not need them and that they would not be welcome. American Consul Edwards says he has not asked for any troops. Abram Gonzales, insurrectionary governor of Chihuahua, says the United States will never send any troops to Juarez and that this talk is only a bluff to frighten the insurgents.

Most of the places of business in Juarez have been closed, all gambling resorts are closed, and there were no races at the Juarez track. All saloons are closed by order of the mayor.

There is no attempt to prevent Americans visiting the Mexican city, but cameras are prohibited. Many automobile parties have gone down in the past two days to the insurgent lines and talked with the advance guard.

Patrol Guard Increased.

Washington, Feb. 4.—The war department has taken steps to increase the force of regular troops patrolling the Mexican border, with a view to prevent violations of the neutrality law. Major General Leonard Wood, chief of staff, issued orders assigning 10 additional troops of cavalry to this work. This additional force will make a total of 22 troops of cavalry and mounted infantry detachments assigned to patrol duty. These troops will be scattered at different points along the border, such as Calixto, Yuma, Nogales, El Paso and Tucson.

LICHTENWALTER GUILTY

Man Who Killed Friend's Husband Convicted For Manslaughter.

Columbus, O., Feb. 4.—After nine hours' deliberation the jury in the case of Earl Lichtenwalter, charged with second degree murder, returned a verdict of manslaughter. Pending motion for a new trial, the young Ohio State university law student was released. His bond of \$7,000 was continued by Judge Rogers.

Lichtenwalter last summer killed Ray Golden in a fight which followed the latter's discovery of his wife, from whom he was separated, on the street with Lichtenwalter, who set up a claim of self-defense.

JUDGE DITTY'S VIEWS ON TAX RATE LIMIT

Throw New Light on the Question of Valuations of Property---Not Necessary at all to Increase Appraisement---Remedy is to Increase Rate by Direct Vote of People.

While the question of appraising real estate for taxation or rather a readjustment of the recent quadrennial appraisement valuations is uppermost in the minds of the people of almost every community in Ohio, the letter of Judge R. M. Ditty, now Chairman of the State Tax Commission, is of particular interest.

Since the one per cent. tax limit law has become reasonably sure of enactment by the present legislature, the people have become fixed in the idea that they must raise as much money in 1911 as was raised by taxation in 1909, and it became early apparent that in order to accomplish this a heavy increase in this city of nearly 40 per cent. would have to be made in the realty valuations.

The people of Hillsboro and Highland county took the same view of the matter and in addressing a letter to Hon. A. E. Hough, editor of the Hillsboro Gazette, in reply to an article along that line published in that paper, Judge Ditty says:

"I notice in a Hillsboro paper a long article showing what increases will be necessary in property values in Hillsboro and other places in Highland county in order that there may be produced as much taxes under a one per cent. rate as was produced in 1909, following this up with the conclusion that it will be impossible to increase the values to a sufficient extent and consequently a maximum tax will be a failure.

The writer of the article overlooks several things. Property is required to be assessed at its true value in money, no more no less, regardless of what amount of taxes may be collected under any tax rate. If the legislature passes a maximum tax limit rate act, one of two things can be done—either the community can economize in expenditures or it can vote additional taxes upon itself, the object of a maximum tax rate being to place a limit upon the amount of taxes that the local officials may levy and not upon the amount that the people may tax themselves. In other words, if there is to be waste and extravagance it must be authorized by the people taxed and not at the whim or caprice of the taxing officials.

The population of Hillsboro is not as large as in 1909 and yet the amount of taxes levied in 1909 was almost \$10,000 greater than was levied in 1900, showing that with the decreasing population there has been an increasing rate of taxation.

The enclosed schedule gives you the comparative figures of taxes levied in Hillsboro for the years 1900 and 1909."

According to Judge Ditty we need not keep on raising the same amount of taxes if we can get along with less and the object and purpose of the one per cent. rate limit is to cut us down to actual necessities and compel the people to directly vote any

other expenditures on themselves. The appraisement need not be raised but each community must stay within the amount raised by a one per cent. rate on present valuations or increase the rate by vote which under the law they have the power to do

BIRTHDAY REMEMBERED.

Mrs. Martha Cahill, who has been so seriously ill for some weeks, has rallied a little during the past few days and was able to see friends in honor of her birthday. She not only received kindly wishes, but many very beautiful flowers, which were greatly appreciated.

Telephone Line Improvements

During the past week Construction Foreman H. P. Darbyshire, of the Central Union Telephone Co., and a force of men, have been engaged in re-building the line from Washington C. H. to Mt. Orab. The company has also received twenty-five tons of new material which is stored in Hillsboro which will be used in repairing other lines in Highland county. Four car loads of poles have also been shipped to Hillsboro for that purpose also.

The lines to be rebuilt are from Hillsboro to the following points: Sugarfree Ridge, Buford, Carmo, via Marshall, and to the county line at the Point.

JUDGE HUGHES REAPPOINTED

Gov. Harmon has re-appointed Judge O. H. Hughes, of Hillsboro, to succeed himself as a member of the state railroad commission, a position which he has held with great credit to himself for the past five years.

Judge Hughes was appointed adjutant general by Gov. John M. Pattison, and upon the death of Mr. Pattison, Lieutenant-Governor Harris became governor, appointed Judge Hughes as the Democratic member of the railroad commission. This appointment was made in 1906. Under the law the governor is required to make the appointment during the month of January, and because of this peculiar wording of the statute Gov. Harris re-appointed J. C. Morris, a Republican member of the commission, before his term expired.

The new term for which Judge Hughes is appointed is for six years and the salary is \$5,000 per year.

SLOANE BRINGS SUIT FOR FEES ADAMS PROBE

A plot to stop the Adams county election probe was disclosed in a suit filed in the Franklin county common pleas court a few days ago by Judge Ulric Sloane, against F. A. Crawford, state printer, for \$200 attorney fees. Mr. Sloane in his petition states that he was employed by the state official to go to Cincinnati January 2 and there meet a committee of Democratic and Republican politicians and take up with them the proposition of attacking the constitutionality of the law under which Judge Blair was working, and also to bring habeas corpus proceedings for the release of these arrested.

Judge Sloane says he went to the Grand hotel at Cincinnati and waited for the committee. One member called him up by phone and told him to wait until the next day when the committee would be present. He waited the next and the next, and then went home without seeing the committee.

WANTS AN OSTRICH TEAM.

Frank A. Chaffin has received a handsome post card from his friends H. D. Hoppes and Ed Pfeiffer, who are at Hot Springs, Ark. The card shows a team of ostriches hitched to a light speed wagon, and also states that this team can go some, and that the owner plucks the feathers every nine months, regardless of the weather, getting from seventy-five to one hundred and twenty-five dollars worth of feathers at each plucking. Frank immediately wrote back to the boys to trade his horse "Direco" for a team of the birds as soon as possible.

FRANKFORT MAN OBTAINS PATENT.

Dr. J. M. Bell, an active physician of Frankfort has received word from the U. S. Patent office at Washington D. C., that a patent can be obtained on an oil burner of his invention.

It is expected that Dr. Bell will shortly give up his practice temporarily to take up the sale of territory for these burners.

C. H. & D. HAS FOUR WRECKS FRIDAY

Spreading rails, the result of the recent high waters, caused four wrecks on the Ironton branch of the C. H. & D. railroad near Wellston early Friday morning. Two freights going in opposite directions were overturned. Two wrecking trains were derailed, causing suspension of traffic for sixty hours. Three tramps seen on the freight a few minutes before the wreck have not been accounted for.

APPRAISEMENT OF REALTY IS RAISED MATERIALLY

Over in Lynchburg, Highland county, the appraisement returned by the regular quadrennial appraiser was found to be too low and the Board of Equalization made several attempts to get him to raise it. These efforts, however, proved unavailing and finally appeal was made to the State Tax Commission for relief.

The law, it seems, provides that the tax commission, may if it sees fit, order an entirely new appraisement, and this being the only apparent remedy in the case; H. S. McClure, of Hillsboro, was appointed to do the work and completed his labors last week. He made a personal inspection of each piece of property and followed the law as nearly as possible in appraising all property at its true value.

The old appraisement amounted to \$458,680, while the value fixed by Mr. McClure amounts to \$812,200, an increase of \$353,520.

LIFE SAVED AT DEATH'S DOOR.

"I never felt so near my grave," writes W. R. Patterson, of Wellington, Texas, as when a frightful cough and lung trouble pulled me down to 100 pounds, in spite of doctor's treatment for two years. My father, mother and two sisters died of consumption, and that I am alive today is due solely to Dr. King's New Discovery, which completely cured me.

Now I weigh 187 pounds and have been well and strong for years. Quick, safe, sure, its best remedy on earth for coughs, colds, lagrippe, asthma, croup, and all throat and lung troubles. 50c & \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by Blackmer & Tanquary.

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CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to express our sincere and heartfelt thanks to our relatives and friends for the sympathy and kindness shown us in our sad bereavement, in the death of our beloved husband and father and brother, Joseph H. Baughn. Especially do we thank Rev. A. M. West for his services and consoling words and E. Clever for his efficient management of the funeral and the kindness of the K. O. P. lodges for their beautiful floral offerings.

From the Bereaved Family.
(Papers please copy.)

For an early breakfast nothing so good Mrs. Austin's Pancake Flour.

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Children's Shoes on Tables, all sizes, at 69c

Ladies' Shoes on Tables, all sizes, at \$1.69

Ladies' Tailored Waists, (slightly soiled from handling) value \$1.00, tonight 39c

Ladies' Tailored Waists, (slightly soiled from handling) value \$2 and \$2.50, tonight 89c

None on approval. None exchanged

Come And See Us
FRANK L. STUTSON.

WASHINGTON LECTURE COURSE

Don't forget the lecture by John Kendrick Bangs at Grace church on next Monday evening

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.



Regular meeting of Confidence Lodge Monday night Work in Ranks of Page and Esquire.

O. E. HARDWAY, C. C.
H. M. KINGSBURY, K. R. S.

NEW GRADE SCHOOL FOR CHILLICOTHE

The Chillicothe Board of Education is busy arranging the preliminaries for the building of a new grade school building which will cost when completed in the neighborhood of \$50,000.

The building has been decreed to be necessary and the matter is being given attention. A motion to have Architect Schweitzer draw up plans and specifications for a fourteen room building with the stipulation that if the plans were not satisfactory he would receive no compensation, was passed by the Board at a meeting Friday. The plans are to be ready as soon as possible and are merely to be preliminary plans and estimates so as to give the board an idea of the cost of erecting a suitable building in the wetern district.

GRAND MASQUERADE.

To be given February 22nd, by the Lady Macabees in Memorial Hall for the benefit of Temple Lodge, I. O. O. F. and the Lady Macabees.

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Now the holidays are over and Spring will soon be here. If you want to have your vehicle repainted, try L. B. Jones, over Gossard's garage.

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Sealship Oysters are packed solid into air-tight, germ-proof containers. Ice is packed around the OYSTERS of the containers. But no ice or water ever touches the oysters.

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House-Renting and House-Selling Are Want Ad Tasks

They are such "usual tasks" for the want ads that it would be hard to find a rented house whose tenant did not find it through answering an ad—or an owned house whose purchase and sale did not originate in a classified ad.

If these facts are not significant to owners of property, no facts whatever would be.

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PRIZE WINNERS IN CORN SHOW

Large crowds from all parts of the country are attending the Dice-Mark Corn show today. While the Dice displays of corn are of special interest to corn raisers, this is too much of an agricultural county for the general public not to share in the pride of the county's fertility.

The Culppepper orchestra, with its jovial music, is quite a drawing card, and not since the last Dice-Mark Corn show has the merry jingle of "The Mocking Bird" caused such unconscious keeping time to the music.

The judging was done Friday afternoon by Prof. J. K. Bruce, of O. & U., who praised in high terms the quality and the extent of the exhibits.

The awards were made as follows: Class A.—Wheat, best half bushel, open to all.—1st prize, F. W. Cline; 2nd prize, Oscar Glass; 3rd prize, C. L. Miller.

Class B.—Best 25 ears of yellow corn, open to all.—1st prize, F. W. Cline; 2nd prize, D. H. Wissler; 3rd prize, Glen Vannorsdall.

Class C.—Best 25 ears white corn, open to all.—1st prize, F. W. Cline; 2nd prize, Wm. Sprenger; 3rd prize, B. E. Williams.

Class D.—25 largest ears sound corn, determined by weight.—1st prize, F. W. Cline; 2nd prize, Glen Vannorsdall; 3rd prize, Wm. Sprenger.

Class E.—Best 10 ears yellow corn, open to all.—1st prize, F. W. Cline; 2nd prize, B. E. Sheley; 3rd prize, D. H. Wissler.

Class F.—Best 10 ears white corn, open to all.—1st prize, G. L. Allen; 2nd prize, Mr. Springer; 3rd prize, F. W. Cline.

Class G.—Best half bushel corn for feeding and elevator purposes.—1st prize, D. H. Wissler; 2nd prize, G. O. Vannorsdall; 3rd prize, Robt. Dunn.

Class H.—Corn, best 20 ears, mixed.—1st prize, G. L. Allen; 2nd prize, J. A. Flax; 3rd prize, D. H. Wissler.

Class I.—Oats, best 1 bushel, open to all.—1st prize, William Sprenger; 2nd prize, G. N. Baumgarner; 3rd prize, Warren Hutchison.

Class J.—Clover seed, best 10 lbs.—1st prize, G. L. Allen; 2nd prize, F. W. Cline; 3rd prize, Homer Miller.

Class K.—Timothy seed, best 10 lbs.—1st prize, Jesse F. Blackmore; 2nd prize, Alonzo Wilson; 3rd prize, G. L. Allen.

Class L.—Best half bushel potatoes.—1st prize, Jesse F. Blackmore; 2nd prize, T. E. Brown; 3rd prize, W. T. Elliott.

Class M.—Best peck potatoes.—1st prize, W. T. Elliott; 2nd prize, T. E. Brown; 3rd prize, J. A. Flax.

Class N.—House plants, best collection of two.—1st prize, Mrs. Shank; 2nd prize, Miss Hazel Gillespie; 3rd prize, Richard Sollars.

Paint township made a great showing, Mr. Forest Cline carrying off five firsts, G. H. Allen 3 firsts and D. H. Wissler 1 first and 2 seconds.

Mr. Will Sprenger planted the corn on which he won several prizes on the 26th of May, a late planting that met with success.

Among foreign representatives at the Corn Show are Messrs. Funderburg and Brown, of the International Harvester Co., Geo. Crispin, of the Sidel Buggy Co., Geo. Herring, of the Herring Buggy Co., Mr. Barrell, of the Brown, Manley Cultivator Co., and J. C. Whiteford, of Roderick Lean Manufacturing Co.

This afternoon as we go to press there is brisk bidding on the prize winning corn and exhibits of 10 and 12 ears selling from \$2.00 to \$3.00.

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

Raymond O. Matthews 22, farmer, Jeffersonville, Maybelle J. Wolfe 19, Washington.

The Palace!

TONIGHT

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"I'd Like to be a Soldier Boy in Blue"

H. R. Wysong, Baritone Soloist

BUD'S TRIUMPH

Another one of those good Western Pictures that you have been accustomed to seeing at The Palace.

WALTHY BROOK

CORN RAISER DIES.

Michael Devine, for many years a prosperous and widely known farmer of Frankfort, died at his home in Chillicothe Wednesday night.

Mr. Devine had amassed a fortune in the raising of broom corn on his farm west of Frankfort.

He was 70 years old and a member of the 18th O. V. I., having served his country loyally.

The funeral was held at St. Joseph's church, Frankfort, this morning at 8:30, Rev. Michalowski, of Greenfield officiating.

D. T. & I. AGAIN IN THE LIMELIGHT

In order to cut down expenses it is said that a number of the way stations on the D. T. & I. railroad, between Springfield and Lima, are to be vacated, much to the inconvenience of the patrons of the road, who probably will hold indignation meetings protesting against the move on the part of the officials.

The order is in effect that all telegraph offices, including such places as Tremont City, Rosewood and a number of others, be discontinued, leaving in many stations only a baggageman. The complaint is made that the villagers will be unable to learn when trains are due, now that the telegraphers are taken off. In one instance, at Thackery, where three men have been employed at the station, there will be but one now.

The residents of Tremont are up in arms, asserting that the earnings this year were larger than for any previous twelve-month, and that it cannot be the lack of money that is causing the company to close up the offices.

It is reported that the mail carriers of Tremont City will remonstrate against the present proposition, and it may be that the matter will be carried up to the postoffice department at Washington by the postmaster of Tremont and carriers along the northern division of the line.

SCOUTS ON HIKE TO SABINA

Forty Boy Scouts, marching in their Khaki uniforms, boarded the C. & M. V. train for Sabina this morning. The muddy condition of the roads was such that their intended "hike" was out of the question.

Secretary Zager, although not yet fully recovered from his recent illness, accompanied them, to present the Scout movement in Sabina.

Stanley Lawwill and Walter Sprenger were in charge of the troops.

The Scouts went off in high spirits and expected to give a parade through the principal streets before the meeting at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Section Foreman Badly Beaten Up

John McCoy, section foreman on the D. T. & I. Ry. at Bainbridge, was struck over the head by his son-in-law Mat James, in a fight near the depot at that place yesterday. The doctor dressed the wound and taking several stitches.

James had just returned from the work house for whipping his wife. He was bound over to the Grand Jury and sent to the Chillicothe jail.

FALLS VICTIM TO THIEVES.

S. W. Bends, of Coal City, Ala., has a justifiable grievance. Two thieves stole his health for twelve years. They were a liver and kidney trouble. Then Dr. King's New Life Pills throttled them. He's well now. Unrivaled for Constipation, Malaria, Headache, Dyspepsia. 25c at Blackmer & Tanquary.

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Personal Paragraphs

Mr. Harry Campbell, of Washington D. C., will sing Sunday night at the Presbyterian church by special request, "By the Waters of Babylon."

Miss Marie Dale went to Hillsboro today to be the guest of Miss Lida Farris and to visit other friends.

Miss Helen Runyan, of Columbus, is the guest of Miss Mary Dunn.

Miss Nora Jenkins arrived from Frankfort today to visit Miss Mazie Priddy.

Miss Harriet Rowland, of Columbus, was the guest of Miss Lillian Moon, from yesterday until today.

Miss Katharine Irions returned today from an extended stay in Columbus.

Mrs. George Haynes went to Grove City Friday to be the guest of her sister, Mrs. Jesse Grant and to be the guest of honor at a society function that Mrs. Grant is giving.

Mrs. James Morrow, who has been visiting her brother, Mr. Wirt Shoop and wife, left today for Columbus, where she will visit her brother, L. C. Shoop and family, before returning to her home in Waukegan, Ill. Mrs. W. W. Shoop accompanied her daughter and will visit with her in Columbus.

Manager M. B. Shauk, of the Home Telephone Company, is spending Sunday in Dayton.

J. A. Woodrow, clerk of the C. H. & D. local freight office, is confined to his home with tonsillitis.

Mrs. Porter Campbell arrived from Bainbridge today to be the guest of Mrs. J. Star Smith.

Misses Elsie and Alice Tway are down from the O. S. U. to spend the between semesters vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Austin Tway.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Anderson are spending Sunday with Mrs. Anderson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Swingley, at Wilmington.

Mr. Nathan Creamer, of Jeffersonville, is a visitor at the Dice-Mark Corn Show today.

Mrs. Mary Black is quite ill at her home on N. North street.

Mrs. Joseph P. Bailey was the guest of Mrs. Harry West, in Leesburg Friday.

NEW HOLLAND LOSES CUP

The silver loving cup given by the agricultural department of the Ohio State university to the high school exhibiting the best corn, and which has been held for two years by New Holland high school, was awarded this year to a Butler county school. Had the New Holland high school been fortunate enough to be the winner a third time, the cup would have become the school's permanent property.—Circleville Union Herald.

MARSHALL PROPERTY SOLD BY SHERIFF.

Sheriff Nelson this afternoon sold at public sale the C. K. Marshall residence property situated on the corner of Hinde and Elm streets. The property was bid in by Dr. S. A. Marshall, of Jeffersonville, for himself, and C. R. Marshall jointly. The price was \$936.

The property was forced to sale by the successful bidders.

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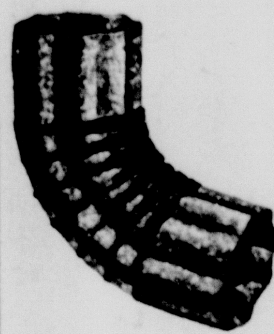
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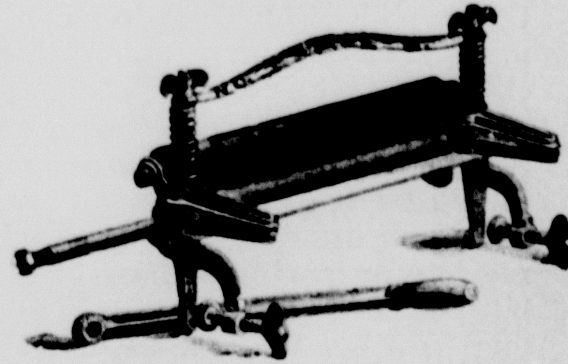
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Mr. and Mrs. Austin F. Hopkins entertained last evening with a beautiful dinner, characterized by perfect appointments.

The table was laid with eighteen covers and had for its center decoration an exquisite basket of La France roses, from which smilax trailed over the damask.

An elaborate menu of six courses was served.

The dinner guests included Mrs. Hopkins' mother, Mrs. Ellen Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Fullerton, Hon. and Mrs. T. W. Marchant, Hon. and Mrs. J. M. Willis, Dr. and Mrs. A. M. Buso, Mr. and Mrs. Joe N. Willson, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Van Winkle, Misses Mary and Edith Campbell, of Washington D. C., and the son of the house, Edward.

The evening which followed the dinner was one of exceptional pleasure, encouraged by the spontaneous hospitality for which Mr. and Mrs. Hopkins are noted.

Mr. Harry Campbell delighted the guests with a number of beautiful bass-baritone solos, Miss Edith Campbell accompanying him.

After much persuasion the host was induced to contribute a piano number, which brought forth great applause, and the young son, who plays very well, also responded to requests.

The brilliantly lighted rooms were attractively embellished with tall roses of snap dragons, in all colors, and luxurious palms.

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EXPRESS YOUR VIEWS.

There are many questions now demanding solution by the people of Washington, which are of vital interest to every resident of the city and THE HERALD invites an expression of views on any and all of those questions.

Just now we have the matter of repairs to the public library, the shortage of revenue wherewith to run the city government, improvements—lights and water works and sidewalks—in the recently annexed territory, dereliction and shortcomings of city officials from various causes and in various departments, the selection of a site for the new high school building, the service rendered by public service corporations, the conduct of our city schools and a host of matters upon which nearly every citizen, who thinks at all, has formed and expressed an opinion.

It is that our citizens may have an opportunity to voice those opinions publicly that THE HERALD maintains a column in which will be published the opinions of Washington citizens on all matters of public interest.

No opinion is barred from publication in this column so long as it does not contain personal attack or invectives unfit for publication.

From time to time "letters from the people" have been received and published, and it is with a view to stimulating interest in the discussion of these matters of interest that attention is again called specifically to the subject.

It must be understood that the views expressed in this column are by no means, at all times, the views of THE HERALD, which is in no way responsible for the views expressed, but accords to every citizen the right to join issue with any opinion there expressed.

Many good people have conflicting views and a newspaper can not see every proposition to suit every citizen.

We invite all good citizens to dip their pens in ink or put their pencils to paper and fire away with their opinions.

Whenever public affairs don't go to suit you write a letter to the people and tell them about it.

It saves the time of the editor and gets your uncensored views to the public with all the force that originality and sincerity can impart to them.

It is a good thing too, for the people that an avenue of publicity be maintained through which any individual may drive his views or ride his hobbies to the public market, in order that the critical and captions, the overly cautious pessimist and the happy optimist, the knocker and the booster, may look over and approve or condemn.

Views of vast benefit, when altered or amended, toned down or livened up, are often thus obtained.

Frequently the glistening grain of a splendid suggestion may be mined by the public from a mass of apparently rough quartz.

It is the public which, after all, works out every proposition in this country, and that public should be furnished a safety valve.

LIVING MEMORIALS.

A recent discussion in regard to the proper place for a portrait of a famous woman suggests a consideration of the whole matter of memorials. Thus far in our history, as in the history of England, memorials have been set up impulsively, not to say recklessly, and the results have been far from satisfactory. Westminster Abbey has been a terrible sufferer in this respect. Some parts of it make the visitor think he has strayed by mistake into the "discarded" corner of a grave-stone quarry. The busts and statues are bad in themselves, or unsuited to their place, or so crowded as to lose all effect of dignity.

Portrait or bust or statue is not the only form which loving regard may take to keep the dead in mind. Why not build a memorial that will work? The memory of a whole-hearted philanthropist or a self-forgetting teacher may be best kept alive by a living, breathing force, rather than by a more or less perfect representation of the form in which, after all, the spirit imperfectly showed itself.

For example, a fellowship for astronomical study at one of the great observatories is a fitting memorial of the famous woman astronomer, Maria Mitchell. The endowment of the Ingersoll lectureship at Harvard College was a fine way of enshrining the memory of the founder in a series of monographs on the "Immortality of the Soul," in which will be embodied the advancing thought of successive generations.

A loan fund for needy students or mechanics, an endowment for research, a church building fund—any one of these is a memorial which will work all the time, and keep sweet and fresh the names we revere.—The Youth's Companion.

One useful life capable of so much for good to humanity and one living, breathing, happy creature, enjoying life to the full, radiating happiness and good thoughts to others is worth all the imposing piles of stone, brick, mortar, steel and iron ever builded.

Maryland authorities do not believe in deadheading outsiders, not even the President and Vice President. They've notified Taft and Sherman to come across with the price of automobile licenses, or get pinched if caught riding in the state.

Does Champ Clark's declaration, that personally he would like to see an extra session, mean that politically he wouldn't, or did he merely wish to show that he wasn't influenced by the chautauqua money he'd lose by one?

SINES AND SONS.

Puccini's income from his operas is estimated at \$50,000 a year.

Former Senator Clark of Montana is said to have recently purchased a dinner service that cost him \$100,000.

Richard C. Adams is the hereditary chief of the Delaware tribe of Indians. He is a lawyer, and he is now pressing claims against the government aggregating \$20,000,000 in behalf of his tribe.

Charles Follen Adams, who wrote the verses to "Leedie Jacob Strauss" and gained fame thereby more than thirty years ago, is still alive and a familiar figure on the streets of Boston in the lecture field.

Before Congressman A. R. Johnson of Ohio studied law and got into politics he was a schoolteacher and a laborer in an iron furnace. He also put in spare months working as a laborer on turpentine and railroads.

John Porter of Eldora, Ia., is the oldest practitioner before the United States supreme court in point of years of service, having been admitted March 3, 1853. Mr. Porter has known every president since Fillmore with the exception of Roosevelt and Taft.

J. Miller Kenyon, a Washington banker and attorney, is a fine performer with the gloves. In fact, he is so good at it that, when Jim Jeffries was in the national capital prior to his battle with Jack Johnson, Kenyon wanted to go several fast rounds with him.

Pen, Chisel and Brush.

Richard Le Gallienne, the author of many volumes of poetry and prose, was born in Liverpool, England, in 1866.

Sorolla, the famous Spanish artist, has announced his intention of again visiting this country with an exhibition of her paintings.

Mme. Judith Gautier, daughter of the novelist and poet Theophile Gautier, at one time wife of the late Catulle Mendes, has been elected to the Goncourt Academy of Letters. She is the first woman to be thus honored.

Mrs. Winnie Beam Hoxie, the sculptor, is now sixty-three. She was only fifteen when she saw President Lincoln and was so struck by his face and bearing that she modeled him in clay. This statue so pleased him that he sat for a bust at the White House.

The Cookbook.

Crisp fried bacon chopped very fine and mixed with enough butter to hold it together makes a savory sandwich filling.

A dish of minced dry mint is passed by the English housewife with pea soup. A little of the mint is sprinkled over the soup.

To simmer is to boil slowly. If the liquor throws up bubbles above its surface it is boiling at a gallop and will harden any meat cooking in it.

To keep the undercrust of a meringue lemon pie free from bubbles spread the paste over the bottom and sides of a pie plate, invert the plate over a cupful of water and bake it in the oven in that position.

Current Comment.

Perhaps, after all, pneumonia is the great white plague, not tuberculosis.—New Haven Journal-Courier.

Harbingers of spring are welcome any time now. (N. B.—This doesn't include spring poems).—Syracuse Herald.

Senator Aldrich's currency bill is called a plan for "mobile money." But what a large section of the public appears to want is automobile money.—New York World.

The coronation of a king, occurring long after he has begun to reign, is something like the notification by a committee of a candidate that he has been nominated.—Albany Journal.

Train and Track.

There are 51,000 locomotives in the United States, burning yearly 15,000,000 tons of coal.

Uruguay will probably soon have a new railway, starting from Montevideo and traversing the republic to Curacao, on the Brazilian frontier.

All over the world trolley lines without rails are being introduced. Two have been built in Bremen since last summer to connect the outlying districts with the city street car lines. The cost of construction and operation is very light.

Congressional Cuts.

Another objection to increasing the size of the house of representatives is that we are not able to get enough good material for one of the present size.—Indianapolis News.

Does learning bring wisdom? The library of congress now has nearly 2,000,000 books, but does congress know beams any more surely than it did when it had no library to speak of?—Springfield Republican.

English Etchings.

The full dress liveries of the royal footmen cost £110 apiece.

After the abolition of the lords in 1649 a single chamber parliament existed till 1657, when the upper house was re-established.

The mayor of High Wycombe, England, is not only in business as a hairdresser, but is also color sergeant in the territorial force, foreman of the fire brigade, vice president of the football club, a champion marksman, public singer, amateur actor and cricketer.

Wit and Humor

The Microbe's Serenade.

A lovely microbe met by chance
At a swagger bacteroidal dance
A proud bacillial belle, and she
Was first of the animalcule.
Of organism saccharine,
She was the prophetic queen,
The microscopical pride and pet
Of the biological smartest set.
And so this infinitesimal swain
Evolved a pleading low refrain:

"O lovely metamorphic germ,
What futile scientific term
Can well describe your many charms?
Come to these embryonic arms.
Then he away to my cellular home
And be my little diatom!"

His epithelium burned with love.
He swore by molecules above
Should be his own kregarious mate
Or else he would disintegrate.
This amorous mite of a parasite
Pursued the germ both day and night
And 'neath her window often played
This Darwin-Huxley serenade—
He'd warble to her every day
This rhizopodial roundelay:

"O most primordial type of spore,
I never met your like before!
And, though a microbe has no heart,
From you, sweet germ, I'll never part.
We'll sit beneath some fungous growth
Till dissolution claims us both!"
—George Ade.

One Lie All the Time.

Satan—I have called you in to explain this peculiar record. You are recorded with the same lie 17,000 times. This is the only sin you have committed. I am curious to know why you told this same lie so many times.

New Arrival—Well, your majesty, it's this way: My wife is very fat, and every time we passed a woman who was the least bit plump she would say, "Am I as fat as that?" And I always replied, "Mercy, my dear; no!"—Puck.

Lucretia Borgia.

"I think," said Lucretia Borgia calmly as she administered a dose of Jamaica ginger to her suffering spouse—"I think I shall devote the most of my time this summer to writing my memoirs."

"Good!" groaned the sufferer between spasms. "I was afraid, my dear, that you were contemplating the preparation of a cookbook."

Rehearsed.

Charles—When I asked her if she would be mine she put her arms around my neck and whispered that she was so happy.

Amy—Yes, that is what she told me she was going to do, and what's more, I happen to know that she has been practicing it with Cousin Tom for ever and ever so long.—New York Journal.

Seems Reasonable.

"To settle a dispute," said the caller, "I wish you would tell me what madder is."

"Madder," answered the information editor, "is a pigment the artists use when they wish to produce what is called a riot of color."—Chicago Record-Herald.

Unhappy Title.

Tess—Mad at him? Why, he wrote a lovely poem to her.

Jess—Yes, but she never read it. When she saw the title of it she tore the whole thing up in a fit of anger. You see, he called it "Lines on Mabel's Face."—Catholic Standard and Times.

At West Point.

The Pretty Visitor—And who is that handsome officer?

The Gay Cadet—That is the fencing master.

The P. V.—Oh, yes. He's the one who instructs you in picket duty, what?—Cleveland Leader.

A Little Knowledge.

Dr. Marcus Herz of Berlin is credited with saying to a patient who read medical books diligently in order to prescribe for himself: "Be careful, my friend. Some day you'll die of a misprint."—Buffalo Commercial.

Realism.

"That actress sheds real tears at every performance."

"Yes, she is moved by her deep sympathy for the manager's distress when he gives up real money."—Washington Star.

New to Her.

"Miss," began the polite agent, "could I sell you a patent vacuum cleaner?"

"No, sir," responded the new maid forcibly. "We don't keep a vacuum here."—Chicago News.

Some Evidence.

Mrs. Dabaway—She's a rather sensible sort of girl, isn't she? Mrs. Gnaggs—I fancy she must be. At any rate, she has never married.—Philadelphia Record.

The Simple Life.

Mrs. Knicker—You will have to get up to light the fire.

Knicker—Unnecessary, my dear; I never smoke before breakfast.—New York Sun.

Beyond Words.

Doctor—Are you ill? Let me see your tongue.

Poet—Ah, it is no use! No tongue can tell how bad I feel.—Columbia Jester.

His View.

Wogges—Where was your son educated?

Bogges—He wasn't. He went to college; that's all.—Judge.

What He Ran To.

Bill—What is Gill's favorite cereal? Jim—Wild oats, I guess.—Yonkers Stateman.

By John D. Shoop, formerly of this county, and now assistant
tendent of the Chicago city schools.

There's lots of good things in this good world of ours,
There's plenty of sunshine comes in 'twixt the showers,
Old Earth isn't stingy, and Heaven's liberal too,
And they pay us up prompt for whatever we do;
But I like to sort out the good things of this earth,
And mark them and tag them for just what they're worth;
And in my estimation, the world's choicest boon,
The best of them all is—the man that's in tune.

Why, it seems that Old Nature has put him together,
In a way that he's suited to all kinds of weather,
For if there's a flood or if there's a drouth,
You'd not find it out by the shape of his mouth;
If the balance sheet shows either losses or gains,
If the Bulls or the Bears are a-holding the reins,
If prices slump low, or they sail to the moon,
It's one and the same to the man that's in tune.

I just like to watch him walk down through the crowd;
He doesn't talk much and he never laughs loud;
But if things have gone wrong and we're all feeling blue,
He'll scatter the fog and the sunlight comes through.
If we kick up a row 'bout our party or creed,
He'll show us a point where we all are agreed,
And the thing will clear up like a morning in June
By the word and the smile of the man that's in tune.

And sometimes when fate seems to pile up my load,
And I reel and I stagger 'long life's dusty road,
And I haven't seen a friend for many a mile,
And I wonder after all if this thing is worth while—
Then there's something that kind o' lifts up on my pack,
And the jolliest hand comes right down on my back,
And the jolliest voice says, "Bill, this'll be better soon,"
And I turn—and—God bless him, there's the man that's in tune.

O, you crusty old croaker, who's been "doing your stunt"
With a wheezy old bellows and discordant grunt—
Tune up your old music-box, twist up the strings,
Get the key of the song that the Universe sings,
They're needing you now in life's big orchestra,
No difference what part in the concert you play,
If you trill like the lark, or you wail like the loon,
But, in Heaven's name, get your old nature in tune.

In tune with the mountain, the sea and the wood,
With the sorrows and joys of the great brotherhood,
In tune with the earth, with the planets and stars,
And when you arrive at the big Golden Bars,
And you hear that choir sing, and you want to enroll,
The angels will just thrum the chords of your soul,
And your spirit will wake from its last earthly swoon,
With the Gates open wide, for the man that's in tune.

Cast Iron.

Alternately heating and cooling, cast iron will increase its volume.

Stage Costumes.

In Austria a heavy fine is imposed upon any actor who wears a military or ecclesiastical costume on the stage. In Germany such costumes may be worn, but the actors will find themselves in a serious situation if they are not absolutely correct down to the last loop and button.

The Raisin.

Containing but 13 per cent of moisture and the balance almost wholly carbohydrates, the raisin is on a par with the date and fig as an energy producer.

Coffee.

Many housewives buy coffee in the green state and roast it at home. Such coffee should be carefully washed before roasting. In fact, it is a good plan if coffee is purchased already roasted to wash it before grinding.

Chinese Lacquer.

The manufacture of the lacquer were known to the Chinese as the "No. 1 Puchan lacquer" can hardly be called an art. It is rather a craft, the result of infinite labor and patience, since the laying on of the coat of color requires no more skill than the simplest form of painting.

Brain Weights.

The brain of the average Scotchman is said to weigh 50 ounces; of the Germans, 49.6; of the English, 49.5; of the French, 47.9; of the Chinese, 47.2; of the Eskimos, 43.9.

The Y. M. C. A.

The Young Men's Christian association in the United States was organized in Boston on Dec. 29, 1851. This was the outcome of a similar organization started seven years earlier in London.

The Red Diamond.

Experts generally aver that the most beautiful of all precious stones is the red diamond. It is held to surpass even the ruby in beauty and is extremely rare. One of the very few specimens of record is that which was bought by Emperor Paul of Russia for \$100,000. This stone weighs 10 carats.

Mississippi Bears.

The bears of the Mississippi forests and canebrake grow to an immense size, 500 pounds being a common weight for one in the late fall. They do not hibernate and are always ready if not eager for a fight.

Hard Shoes.

If a pair of hard shoes have become stiffened with walking in the wet they should first be washed with warm water and then have oil well rubbed into them.

Debts in China.

In China one can always borrow money on the strength of having a son, but nobody would advance him a cent if he had a dozen daughters. The former is responsible for the debts of his father for three generations. The latter is only responsible for the debts of her own husband.

The Present.

Don't wait, dear friend, don't wait when
The hand of death shall touch my brow
'Twill be too late to speak me free.
Do it now!

Don't wait until my five foot ten
Is laid away. Dear friend, do now
Can you expect to do me then?
Do it now!

Don't wait till I'm beyond your ken
With angel folk, for you'll know
You cannot get my body then.
Get it now!

Eve's Tomb.

The Arabs claim that Eve's tomb is at Jiddath, the seaport of Mecca. The temple there, which has a palm growing out of the solid stone, is supposed to be the last resting place of the first woman.

Bury in Caves.

In Russia many of the peasants still bury their dead in grottoes or caves, just as their princes and nobles were accustomed to do centuries ago.

WEATHER CONDITIONS

Washington, February 4.—Pa. Ohio.—Local rains or snows Saturday, followed by fair; slightly colder in south; Sunday generally fair moderate winds, becoming west and northwest.

For West Virginia—Colder Saturday, with rain or snow, followed by fair in west; Sunday fair.

For Tennessee—Fair in west clearing in east portion Saturday somewhat colder; Sunday fair.

For Kentucky—Fair Saturday preceded by rain or snow in extreme east; somewhat colder; Sunday fair.

For Lower Michigan—Unsettled Saturday; probably local snows; Sunday fair; moderate variable winds.

For Indiana and Illinois—Fair and colder Saturday; Sunday fair.

WEATHER OBSERVATIONS.

Observations of the United States weather bureau taken at 8 p. m. yesterday follow:

	Temp.	Weather.
Columbus	40	Rain
New York	33	Cloudy
Albany	24	Cloudy
Atlantic City ..	30	Cloudy
Boston	18	Snow
Buffalo	36	Cloudy
Chicago	38	Cloudy
St. Louis	40	Clear
New Orleans	70	Clear
Washington	32	Rain
Philadelphia	28	Cloudy

Weather Forecast.
Washington, Feb. 4.—Weather forecast for tomorrow:
Ohio—Generally fair; moderate winds, becoming west and northwesterly.

Saturday Night Specials

10c. Choice tonight of all silk and satin Untrimmed Hats, worth from \$1.50 to \$5, at 10c. *Second Floor*

3c Choice of 20 dozen pretty Mantel Tumblers and Table Doilies, worth 10c and 15c, tonight at 3c.

25c All remaining Boys' Straight Knee Pants, worth 50c, 75c and \$1.00. Tonight at 25c.

69c Assortment of Small Boys' Pants, worth \$2.00 to \$4.00. Tonight at 69c.

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Sullivan Becomes Partner.
East Liverpool, O., Feb. 4.—John L. Sullivan, former state printer, has purchased a half interest in the Evening Review Publishing company of this city from Harlan W. Brush of Buffalo, ex-consul to Milan, Italy. Mr. Sullivan assumed the general management of the paper last August.

Boy Gives Gasoline to Baby.
Kenton, O., Feb. 4.—The 2-year-old son of Rev. and Mrs. John W. Hodge is critically ill as a result of having gasoline poured down his throat by a 5-year-old brother. The mother found the child convulsed on the floor with the older brother standing near by with a gasoline can in his hands.

A Deduction.
"Little Willie Withers is the brightest and best behaved boy in the neighborhood."
"Allow me to deduce."
"Go ahead."
"You don't know little Willie, and you've recently been chatting with his mother."—Spokane Spokesman-Review.

Convict Goes Insane.
Columbus, O., Feb. 4.—Confinement in the penitentiary idle house, where 400 prisoners are herded together with nothing to do, is believed to be responsible for the condition of William Collins, who was declared insane and taken to the prison asylum.

Has No Delinquent Land.
Millsburg, O., Feb. 4.—Holmes county will have no real estate delinquent tax sale this year, the tax having been paid on every piece of property in the county. Holmes officials claim it is the only county in the state with such a record.

Attempts to Brain Wife.
Dayton, O., Feb. 4.—Crafted over religion, and having spent several hours in prayer, John W. Williams, a former locomotive engineer, crept up to his wife as she was ironing and attempted to crush her skull by repeated blows with a hammer. An abundance of natural and false hair saved her life, however.

Still Lower Prices

- 10-pound sacks Pure Buckwheat, only 35c
- 10-pound, gallon buckets, Sweetheart Syrup only 25c
- Another lot of choice Home-grown Potatoes only, pk. 15c
- Clifton brand Rolled Oats, pkg. 6c
- Pearl Hominy only, lb. 2c
- Canned Lye Hominy in 3-lb sanitary cans, can. 8c or 2 for 15c
- Bulk Lump Starch, pound. 4c 3 lbs for 10c

Our Bargain List

- Two 10-cent packages Quaker Rolled Oats. 15c
- Two 10-cent packages Veribest brand Condensed Mince Meat, only 15c
- Three 10-cent sacks Fresh Meal only 20c
- A 40c Carpet Broom only 25c
- Don't compare this broom, until you see it, with the brooms usually offered at this price.
- Fancy California Lemons each, 1c
- 7 bars Lenox or Jaxon Soap for 25c
- 1-lb can Kenton Baking Powder 15c
- White Plume or Karo cane flavored Syrup, in 10-lb gallon buckets, only 35c
- Canned Red Kidney Beans two-pound cans, only 5c

Groceries **S. S. COCKERILL & SON** Queensware

Portsmouth Vote-sellers Amateurs

Probe Discloses Low Price Schedule In Effect.

Portsmouth, O., Feb. 4.—Evidence of vote-buying in the last election in the Second and Third wards of Portsmouth was uncovered by the Scioto county grand jury, according to Judge A. Z. Blair and Prosecutor Horace L. Small. While both say it was the biggest day since the Scioto county election probe was commenced, Judge Blair declares conditions have not been found one-tenth as bad as in Adams county.

In Scioto county votes were sold for \$1 and rarely for more than \$2, evidence thus far showing that \$100 a side was considered a heavy expenditure in any one city precinct. In Adams county some votes sold for \$35, and \$5 was the average minimum price.

Judge Blair adjourned the probe until next Thursday. He will spend the interim making temperance speeches in New York state.

Tamper With Papers.
Danville, Ill., Feb. 4.—That there has been tampering with the papers of the grand jury which is investigating election frauds in Danville and Vermilion county is a rumor that was given considerable credence here. It is understood that some of the most important notes taken during the progress of the investigation have been either stolen or misplaced, and one of the most important witnesses who has yet testified has been notified to return before the grand jury to repeat his testimony.

Committee Urges A Reformatory

Crist Prepares Bill For New Female Penal Institution.

Columbus, O., Feb. 4.—The report of the committee appointed to investigate conditions at the Girls' industrial home near Delaware will result in another bill being introduced to provide for a women's reformatory. Representative Crist of Delaware county is drafting such a measure.

The committee reported conditions found at the home almost as bad as those painted by laymen. Fault is found with the accommodations afforded by the detention home in particular. The committee says it was built to accommodate 16 girls, but as many as 30 are often crowded into it.

The committee reports that a women's reformatory would solve the problem. Representative Calvey of Cleveland has already introduced a bill for such an institution.

Ashurst Jumps From Pier

Philadelphia Postmaster Ends Life at Atlantic City.

Atlantic City, Feb. 4.—Richard L. Ashurst, postmaster of Philadelphia, who came here on Sunday last, has been missing since he entered the million-dollar pier on Monday night and is supposed either to have fallen from the pier or to have jumped overboard in a fit of despondency. So far as can be learned the aged official never left the pier structure, which was the scene of the sensational death of Jane Adams over a year ago. Searching in the surf in the hope of finding the body has been futile, and members of his family, who are in deep seclusion at the Marlborough-Blenheim here, have given up hope of again seeing him alive.

Probe Peters Out.
Dayton, O., Feb. 4.—Although many prominent politicians and several newspaper men were before the probe committee, it was predicted that no vote-buying scandal would be developed here.

Wants Bail From Prosecutor.
Athens, O., Feb. 4.—Prosecuting Attorney John J. Woolley was made defendant in a \$10,000 breach of promise suit filed by Miss Lettie M. Coe, by her attorney, ex-Prosecuting Attorney I. M. Foster.

Honor Greeley Centennial.
New York, Feb. 4.—Many gray-haired New Yorkers who remember Horace Greeley as an active figure in the life of the metropolis made a pilgrimage to the old Greeley farm in Chappaqua, Westchester county, to celebrate the one hundredth anniversary of the birth of the great editor. Gabrielle Greeley Clendenin, Greeley's daughter, and her husband, Rev. Frank M. Clendenin, still live on the farm.

Miss Pankhurst In Columbus.
Columbus, O., Feb. 4.—Miss Sylvia Pankhurst, London militant suffragette, talked to Columbus women at the Chamber of Commerce this afternoon. She told why women should vote, and of the progress the cause has made in England and related some of her experiences in British jails, where she sojourned on several occasions following active participation in attacks on the parliament house.

Ohio General Roasts Roosevelt

General Smith Says He Was Sacrificed For Ambition's Sake.

Portsmouth, O., Feb. 4.—General Jacob A. Smith, better known as "Hell-roaring Jake," in an address at a local church took occasion to score Colonel Roosevelt. Smith asserted that, while on duty in the Philippines, he was sent to quell an uprising in Samar, and when he returned to this country he was pictured as a monster and forced out of the army. Later, General Leonard Wood conducted a similar campaign against the natives, and was lauded to the skies by Roosevelt. He also asserted that Wood spared neither sex in his campaign, while he issued orders that women and children should be spared. In conclusion General Smith said:

"To my knowledge, Theodore Roosevelt has never hesitated in sacrificing a friend to further his own insane ambitions and desires for popularity."

Ohio Doings

Admits Trying to Wreck Train.
Lebanon, O., Feb. 4.—Children returning from the Beechwood school, south of Lebanon, discovered two heavy railroad ties across the track of the Cincinnati, Lebanon & Northern railway. They called for help and the obstruction was removed before a train thundered past. A suspicious negro was arrested. He gave his name as Harry Parker, 23, no home. He admitted he placed the ties on the track and said that he was hungry and became desperate, not knowing what he was doing.

Get Jobs With Strode.
Columbus, O., Feb. 4.—S. E. Strode, the new state dairy and food commissioner, announced the following appointments: Bookkeeper, Anna Hope, Belmont county; stenographer, W. G. Sykes, Cleveland; inspectors in the department, Charles E. Corry, Charles Degenhart, Cincinnati; Harry S. Mesloh, Auglaize county; G. B. Dunathan, Hancock county; A. G. Masterson, Morgan county; W. B. Howser, Wayne county; F. A. Fisher, Stark county; M. J. Ryan, Trumbull county.

Killed In Wreck.
Cincinnati, O., Feb. 4.—One man was killed and another was fatally injured in a wreck on the Big Four railroad at Fernbank, O. The victims were: Frank Reiste, 29, of Springfield, O., brakeman, killed, and Joseph Childers, 33, of Indianapolis, conductor, fatally hurt. It is reported the throwing of a wrong switch caused the accident.

Permits Watkins to Smoke.
Portsmouth, O., Feb. 4.—George H. Watkins, president of the state board of public works, who was stricken with paralysis at his home here last Saturday, has so far improved that his physicians declare his recovery to be almost a certainty. He is sleeping well and was permitted to smoke. His entire right side is affected with paralysis, however.

Poultry Association Elects.
Wooster, O., Feb. 4.—The Ohio branch of the American Poultry association, in session here, announced the election of the following officers for the year: President Eugene Sites, Elyria; vice presidents, Len Lannius, Cincinnati; M. M. Barger, New London; secretary, S. G. Case, Shreve; treasurer, Charles McClave, New London.

Wreck Kills Tramps.
Wellston, O., Feb. 4.—Three tramps are missing and are supposed to have been killed in the first of a series of wrecks occurring within three hours on the Ironton branch of the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton railroad.

DAILY TIME TABLE.

BALTIMORE & OHIO			
GOING WEST		GOING EAST	
No.	Cincinnati	No.	Columbus
105	5:02 A.M.	102	5:04 A.M.
61	8:28 A.M.	104	10:36 A.M.
103	3:33 P.M.	108	4:20 P.M.
107	6:23 P.M.	106	10:48 P.M.

CINCINNATI & MUSKINGUM VALLEY			
GOING WEST		GOING EAST	
No.	Cincinnati	No.	Zanesville
21	9:00 A.M.	6	9:45 A.M.
19	3:35 P.M.	20	5:58 P.M.

CINCINNATI, HAMILTON & DAYTON			
GOING NORTH		GOING SOUTH	
No.	Dayton	No.	Wellston
55	7:53 A.M.	202	9:38 A.M.
203	4:00 P.M.	56	6:22 P.M.
Sdy	9:18 A.M.	Sdy	8:43 A.M.
Sdy	8:18 P.M.	Sdy	7:43 P.M.

DETROIT, TOLEDO & Ironton			
GOING NORTH		GOING SOUTH	
No.	Springfield	No.	Greenfield
2	7:53 A.M.	1	9:50 A.M.
1	2:52 P.M.	2	8:00 P.M.

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday. ‡Sun. only.

MARKET REPORTS

GRAIN	
Wheat, No. 2	85c
New Corn, yellow	40c
New Corn, white	42c
Oats	32c
Hay, No. 1 timothy	\$14.00
Hay, clover	9.00
Hay, mixed	\$11.50

PROVISIONS	
Michigan Potatoes	75c bu
Home-grown Potatoes	75c bu
Butter	22c lb
Lard	12 1/2-15c lb
Eggs	20c doz
Old Hens	9c lb
Young Chickens	12 1-2 lb

FRESH MEATS	
Steaks	15 to 20c per lb
Roasts	10 to 15c per lb
Pork	10 to 20c per lb
Veal	10 to 25c per lb
Lamb	10 to 25c per lb
Cured Ham	17c to 25c per lb
B. Bacon	30c per lb

LIVE STOCK AND GRAIN

CHICAGO Cattle—Heavy, \$18.00; Texas steers, \$14.00; 25, western steers, \$14.00; 50, stockers and feeders, \$12.70; 65, cows and heifers, \$12.00; calves, \$6.50; 80, Sheep and Lambs—Native sheep, \$12.00; 20, western, \$12.40; 40, native lambs, \$14.25; 60, western, \$14.25; 80, yearlings, \$14.00; 100, heavy, \$17.00; 120, mixed, \$17.00; 140, heavy, \$17.00; 160, rough, \$17.00; 180, pigs, \$14.00; 200, No. 2 red, \$14.00; 220, No. 2 white, \$14.00; 240, No. 2 white, \$14.00; 260, No. 2 white, \$14.00; 280, No. 2 white, \$14.00; 300, No. 2 white, \$14.00; 320, No. 2 white, \$14.00; 340, No. 2 white, \$14.00; 360, No. 2 white, \$14.00; 380, No. 2 white, \$14.00; 400, No. 2 white, \$14.00; 420, No. 2 white, \$14.00; 440, No. 2 white, \$14.00; 460, No. 2 white, \$14.00; 480, No. 2 white, \$14.00; 500, No. 2 white, \$14.00; 520, No. 2 white, \$14.00; 540, No. 2 white, \$14.00; 560, No. 2 white, \$14.00; 580, No. 2 white, \$14.00; 600, No. 2 white, \$14.00; 620, No. 2 white, \$14.00; 640, No. 2 white, \$14.00; 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Finance Committee is of Opinion that This Deal Has Saved the Taxpayers from \$3500 to \$7500---Only Firm Which Would Bid on Less than Four Per Cent. Bond.

Local Dealers Compliment Board--Officials Are Now Preparing Abstract which if Satisfactory will be the Last Step to Take.

"POINT" SITE LEADS

The plans submitted by Architect Howard, showing the possibilities of constructing a modern high school building at the Lucy Hess "point" corner of East street and Washington avenue are now in the possession of the Board of Education.

According to these plans a "V" shaped building, containing downstairs, three large recitation rooms, one large room for the use of the Board of Education and one room divided by a partition wall into an outer and inner office for the superintendent, closets, dressing rooms and toilets, cloak rooms in connection with each large room are provided also. The second floor arrangement is similar so far as these features are concerned with the ground floor plan.

Entrances and Auditorium.

The main entrance will be at the point or easterly end of the ground into a hall way which gradually widens until the last recitation room is passed, when this entrance way is met by two others, one from East street and one from Washington avenue, the three terminating in a foyer or vestibule. To the rear of this is located the auditorium which according to the plans submitted will be egg shaped and with a seating capacity of seven hundred, which can be increased by the addition of a balcony to a seating capacity of one

thousand. This auditorium will be in height the same as the building with the lower floor slightly higher than the floors of the recitation rooms and hallways.

Rear Approach.

The rear wall of the building, proposed, the west side of the auditorium, will contain a great amount of cathedral glass so that the position which would be first seen from the city approach would be more pleasing than a vast extent of brick wall--the object being to relieve as far as possible the objection that in the vast majority of instances the building will be first seen from the rear. There seems to be no way, however, if the building is located on that plot of ground to entirely remove the objection that the rear end of the building will be to the city.

In the opinion of the architect the auditorium will have splendid acoustic property being, in construction, a duplicate on a small scale of the famous Mormon Temple at Salt Lake City.

The Bond Sale.

By far the most important along the line of real development of the work in hand, however, is the fact that a tentative arrangement has been made with Weil, Roth and Company, bond dealers in Cincinnati and Chicago, to take over the entire bond issue of \$100,000. As stated in THE HERALD one week ago, Messrs. Walter W. Hamilton and Robert Howat who had been previously appointed as a committee to obtain information relative to the bond issue, made their report to the Board. It seems now that according to that report it was impossible to interest any banking or bonding house in a four per cent. bond issue, except Weil, Roth and Company.

This firm agreed to take the whole bond issue at par and accrued interest,

the bonds to be in denominations of \$500 each and maturing \$3,000 each year until 1947, when the last of the issue would mature--three \$500 to fall due each six months, the first of March and the first of November.

In order to induce this house to take the bonds, however, at that figure, the board was compelled to agree to furnish the lithographed bonds and pay the cost of preparing an abstract of title and the fees of attorneys who made the examination as to the legality of the bond issue, the whole totalling \$150.00.

Messrs. Hamilton and Howat reported that not a house except Weil, Roth & Co. would consider anything less than a four and one-half per cent. bond.

The 4 1/2 per cent. bonds are selling in the market every day and seem to be in great demand, always bringing a premium of course, varying in amount.

Advantages.

Judging from market reports of sales and bond quotations, as well as from the records of bond sales made here in the past, the finance committee stated that in their opinion it would be impossible to get more than a \$1500 premium on a 4 1/2 per cent. bond. Their search they said for information had been thorough and exhaustive. The board was unanimous in declaring that the proposition of Weil, Roth & Co. was by far the best one which was offered. Some of the local authorities on finance, who were called in to consult with the board about the bond issue declared that in their opinion it would be impossible to dispose of a 4 per cent. bond issue at par and advised openly a four and a half per cent. issue which they declared, would sell at a premium.

The members of the board say that when it became known that the board had a prospect of disposing of the bonds at four per cent. these experts declared that in their opinion a banner deal had been made and a much better deal than they could offer or believed it was possible to make.

The deal for the sale of the bonds is now complete with the understanding only that the abstract of title proves satisfactory to the attorneys of Weil, Roth & Company.

The city solicitor and assistants are busy now making a transcript of the record which leads up to the issue and that will be duly authenticated and forwarded to Weil, Roth & Company early next week. If found satisfactory as a legal chain of title the money will be paid over and the bonds transferred to them.

Site Determined.

It may be considered now as practically certain that the new high school building will be erected at the corner of East street and Washington avenue, and that Weil, Roth and Company, bond dealers, of Cincinnati and Chicago, will own the \$100,000 school bonds paying therefor par and accrued interest, the school board to pay \$450, costs of getting the bonds to them in satisfactory shape. Formal action by the Board of Education seems to be all that is lacking to bring about the location of the site and the OK of Weil, Roth & Company is all that is needed to formally close the bond deal.

Saving to Taxpayers.

From the best information which the Board of Education could obtain, and the search for information was diligently prosecuted, the sale of the bonds in this manner will result in a

saving, in the long run, to the taxpayers of a sum ranging from \$3500 to \$7500, depending of course upon the amount of premium which would be bid for a four and a half per cent. bond.

While the premium which would be bid in the open market for a four and a half per cent. bond cannot be positively ascertained, yet a fair estimate may be arrived at from data obtained from prior bond sales here and elsewhere, and from the expert opinion of men both here and elsewhere, who are versed in matters pertaining to the bond market.

INSTALL OFFICERS

The installation of the officers of Wistach Lodge No. 368 took place on Wednesday evening in their hall at New Martinsburg. A large number of the members were present. The ceremonies of installation were performed by Deputy Eugene, B. O. O. A. of Jeffersonville and a staff of acting Grand officers.

Immediately after the installation a splendid banquet was served and it was thoroughly enjoyed by all present. Speeches were made by a number of the brothers in attendance, and in conclusion the second degree was conferred on William Ellis.

DELIGHTFUL SOCIAL.

The Epworth League social given by the Social Session Committee, assisted by the cabinet, Friday night at Grace church, proved such a success that the committee decided to hold one the first Friday night of each month.

There has been a special effort made to build up the Epworth League and since the first of January, 57 new names have been added to the membership. The social last night was intended to bring the old and new members together. The new members turned out, however, better than the old.

An informal little program included taking readings by Miss Lucy Edna Pine and Miss Margaret Wilson, a beautiful piano solo by Miss Sylvia Snider and brilliant duet by Misses Annetta Stafford and Hazel Johnson.

An original and varied program of amusements included a fortune teller's booth, a musical stand, guessing contest and other novel stunts.

Everybody had a jolly good time and the social included candy, peanuts, apples and popcorn.

WIFE GOT TIP TOP ADVICE.

"My wife wanted me to take her boy to the doctor to cure an ugly boil," writes D. Frankel, of Stroud, Okla. "I said 'put Bucklen's Arnica Salve on it.' She did so, and it cured the boil in a short time." Quickest healer of Burns, Scalds, Cuts, Corns, Bruises, Sprains, Swellings. Best Pile cure on earth. Try it. Only 25c at Blackmer & Tanquary.

UNDERWOOD WANTS DIVORCE FROM WIFE.

Alonzo Underwood has filed suit in the Probate Court for divorce from his wife, Florence A. Underwood. The petition states that the couple were married on August 12, 1908, and that one child has been born to the union.

Plaintiff alleges gross neglect and extreme cruelty in that she cursed, abused and struck him on divers occasions. Plaintiff asks divorce and the custody of the child.

GENERAL INSPECTION OF TWO DIVISIONS.

Wm. Colter, President C. H. & D., of Detroit, Mich.; Daniel Willard, President B. & O., Baltimore, and party came up from Cincinnati in their private car this afternoon over the C. H. & D., and went on to Columbus via the B. & O. They return this evening via C. H. & D. to Iron-ton for the general inspection of the two divisions.

CITY CHURCHES

Presbyterian Church.
Rev. Wm. Irwin Campbell, Pastor.
Sabbath school at 9:15 a. m. Superintendent, Ray F. Zander.

The Brotherhood Bible class 9:30 a. m. Taught by pastor.
Morning preaching service at 10:30 a. m. Subject: "Anti-Saloon Service." Rev. Eldredge.
Christian Endeavor Society 6:15. Evening service 7:00. Subject: "The Sympathy of Jesus."
The weekly Prayer service omitted on account of East End meeting.

East End Chapel.

Sunday school at 2 p. m. W. A. DeWitt, superintendent.
Special evangelistic meetings will be held in East End chapel, beginning Feb. 7.

Grace M. E. Church.

Rev. T. W. Locke, Pastor.
Sabbath school at 9:15 a. m. C. E. Lloyd, superintendent.

Morning public worship at 10:30. Address by Rev. R. C. Orndorff.
Class meeting at 2:30 p. m.
Epworth League devotional service at 6:15 p. m. Topic: "A Winning Start." Leaders, Geo. Bryan and Miss Lulu Rowan.

Evening worship at 7:00. Subject of sermon: "False Refuge."
Prayer meeting Thursday night at 7:15.

Wesley Chapel.

E. S. Norris, Superintendent.
Sunday school 2:30 p. m.

First Baptist Church.

Rev. A. W. West, Pastor.
Bible school 9:30 a. m. Albert Snyder, superintendent.
Morning service at 10:45. Sermon by the pastor. Subject of sermon: "The Extent of God's Promise."

Evening service at 7:00. Address by representative of Anti-Saloon League.

B. Y. P. U. at 6:15.
Prayer meeting Thursday, 7:15.
Milwood Bible school Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Harry Wood, Supt.

Church of Christ.

Bible school, 9:15 a. m. L. Etta Rannels, Supt.
Communion at 10:30 a. m.
Teacher's training at 4:30 p. m.
Y. P. S. C. E. 6:00 p. m. Subject: "Why Do You Believe in Christian Endeavor." Leader, Miss Nelle La Monda, Pres.
A cordial invitation is extended to all the services of the church.
Prayer meeting Thursday 7:30 p. m.
Choir practice Friday, 7:30 p. m.

Rogers A. M. E. Church.

Rev. T. W. Woodson, Pastor.
Sunday school, 9:00 a. m. J. T. Oatneal Supt.
Preaching 10:30 a. m.
Allen C. E. League 6:00 p. m. Topic: "Why Do You Believe in Christian Endeavor." Prov. 22:6, 8:12-17, 32-36.
Preaching 7:00 p. m.
Our revival services are still in progress. All are invited.

TORTURED FOR 15 YEARS.

by a cure-defying stomach trouble that baffled doctors, and resisted all remedies he tried, John W. Modders, of Moddersville, Mich., seemed doomed. He had to sell his farm and give up work. His neighbors said, "he can't live much longer." "Whatever I ate distressed me," he wrote, "till I tried Electric Bitters, which worked such wonders for me that I can now eat things I could not take for years. It's surely a grand remedy for stomach trouble." Just as good for the liver and kidneys. Every bottle guaranteed. Only 50c at Blackmer & Tanquary.

LAST DAY FOR PAYING TAXES

County Treasurer, Rothrock authorizes THE HERALD to say that the last day for the payment of taxes will be the 14th of February.

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An Eventful Evening

A beautiful drama from "Miss Civilization,"

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BASKET BALL GAME.

The local Basket Ball Team played last night, going to Kingston last night, going to Kingston by special request. The boys are entirely out of practice and only went as a matter of accommodation.

The score was 24 to 12 in favor of Kingston.

DIVORCE CASE ON TRIAL.

The trial of the divorce case of William Cunningham vs. Arthur Cunningham occupied the Probate Court this morning, resulting in a postponement until Wednesday next.

AGRICULTURAL SCHOOL ORGANIZED.

The meeting of business men and farmers to promote an Agricultural Extension School was held Saturday afternoon at the Dice-Mark Hardware Company's establishment.

An organization was effected with C. Kyle, President; Almer Hegler, Vice President; Fred M. Mark, Secretary and Treasurer; Committee on Organization and Membership, Forest Harrison Brown, Glen Allen.

This committee will select other members over the county and make the various committees. These will be announced next Saturday morning at 10 o'clock, when a meeting will be held in the Mark & Mark building.

Prof. Esswein, of the O. S. U. was today assisting in the organization.

It is expected that the school will open the first of March, and will produce courses in Domestic Science and Agriculture.

The results of the Agricultural Extension School have been excellent wherever established. This school is a child of the University and is an advanced plan of bringing the agricultural and domestic training of the University to the people. Definite plans will be announced later.

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TAILOR

IN THE WORLD OF SPORT

Nat Cartmell Plans a Trip Around World.

Nat J. Cartmell, the former Pennsylvania sprinter, who has been coaching the University of North Carolina track team, plans to take a trip around the world, starting next summer. He has been in correspondence with several foreign promoters and intends to run in England, South Africa and Australia. Match races are proposed with R. E. Walker in the Transvaal and Charles E. Holway in Australia. Cartmell, Walker and Holway claim the sprinting championship.

Harvard and Penn Get Together.

Relations between Harvard and Pennsylvania are rapidly becoming more and more cordial. Soccer, baseball and swimming are sports in which the two will meet this academic year, and before long, it is prophesied, football will be added to the list. When the teams do meet in football it will be the healing of a breach that has stood open for years.

The quarrel was over reported discourtesy to Pennsylvania in the matter of a reply to a request for a renewal of football contracts some years ago. It was always denied at Harvard that a post card printed with the form used in replying to minor colleges had been sent to Penn, and the chances are that it was not done, if at all, with an intention of insult.

Australian Smashes Daniels' Record.

Longworth, the New South Wales swimmer, recently clipped three and four-fifths seconds off C. M. Daniels' record for 1,320 yards, making the distance in 17 minutes 42 seconds. Daniels' record of 17 minutes 45 4/5 seconds was made in New York city Feb. 25, 1907, making sixty-five turns in a tank.

Longworth in the present competition finished twenty-five yards in front of Cecil Healy, the Australian holder of the amateur record for 100 yards in open water, and who in turn was one yard ahead of F. E. Beaurepaire of Victoria, holder of the amateur record for 100 yards in open water.

Runs One Thousand Mile Contest.

Eugene Estoppey, champion long distance Marathon runner of the world, recently at Venice, Cal., finished the most remarkable endurance run in the history of the sport when he negotiated successfully the last mile in his 1,000 miles in a 1,000 hours' race.

Estoppey was picked from his feet and put on the shoulders of the mob that surged about him and paraded about the hall.

He began the race at 9 o'clock Sunday morning, Nov. 20, and finished Jan. 1. For a thousand hours he had been running at the beginning of every hour night and day, rain or shine, ill or well. He, ridiculed and discouraged, was persistent.

Many College Men on Athletics.

Connie Mack can come very near putting an all college nine in the field, and it is doubtful if any team winning a championship has had so many college men in its lineup. First Baseman Harry Davis attended Girard college of Philadelphia in his early days; Jack Barry graduated from Holy Cross, where his work as shortstop attracted Manager Connie Mack; Second Baseman Eddie Collins played on the Columbia university nine; Pitcher Albert Bender hails from Carlisle Indian school; Jack Coombs went to Colby, Me.; Eddie Plank is from Gettysburg and Harry Krause from St. Mary's, California.

Michigan Names Track Dates.

Athletic Director Bartelme of the University of Michigan has given out the 1911 schedules for the Michigan track team. The indoor schedule includes Syracuse in Syracuse on March 10 and Cornell in Ann Arbor on March 25. The outdoor schedule follows: April 25, Pennsylvania relay games on Franklin field; May 13, Syracuse in Ann Arbor; May 19-20, interscholastic meet in Ann Arbor; May 27, eastern intercollegiate meet.

FOR THE CHILDREN

Jingles.

A JOLLY SEASON.

Isn't it a jolly season?

To forget our troubles?

Cares take wing and for some reason

Vanish like mere bubbles.

P.

P—poor old fellow—has only one leg.

Hark! Here is coming his pogo-pogo-pag.

Always his hat to the right of his head.

Never had any left side, it is said.

Likely he's also quite blind, dumb and deaf.

Poor little, unsteady, tottering P!

HIS MOTHER'S JOY.

There was a little boy

Who was his mother's joy.

And yet he was the terror of the neighborhood.

At times he'd make us glad

By failing to be bad.

But, then, you see, he was so very seldom good!

—St. Nicholas

A Tame Beaver.

A tame beaver kept by the soldiers at a fort in Wyoming became quite famous for his sagacity. Caught while young and perfectly tamed, he became very docile and a great favorite at the fort. The little fellow could never be cured of his instinct to build dams, and it is related that he once undertook to dam the Platte river, working for months all night long and returning to the fort every morning at sunrise. He cut down quite a number of trees, but life proved too short for the completion of his plans. While around the fort he was constantly turning over every kind of vessel that contained water and collecting sticks to head it off as it flowed away. One night by oversight the beaver was locked up in the warehouse, and during the night, in nosing around, he discovered a ten gallon can of molasses that had been left uncovered. That discovery proved his doom. The next day he was found gasping for life, having been caught in the sticky mass as the can was overturned. He never recovered from the shock and was tenderly buried in the presence of a large circle of his friends.

Bear Versus Vultures.

Brin was to hunt. A young deer had ventured down the steep slopes of the mountain to quench its thirst in the stream which ran noisily through the rocky valley when it was pounced upon by a hungry bear and laid lifeless with one blow of his heavy paws.

Bears are not generally supposed to prey upon animals, but in India, at any rate, brin likes to vary his vegetable diet with a succulent young deer or small game of any sort.

Other animals, however, beside brin liked deer, and two vultures now swooped down upon the bear. One of them perched on his head and tried its best to pluck out brin's eyes, and while defending himself from this danger the bear had to loose his hold on the deer, which was then promptly dragged off by the second vulture. But a bear will fight hard for his dinner. Giving a dexterous swing with one of his paws he stunned the vulture which had settled on his head, and the other bird then made off, so that brin was master of the field and of the little deer, which he soon devoured.

The Artful Fox.

An old lion was so weak he could no longer hunt for prey. He therefore lay in his den and gave out that he was so ill he thought he would die. When the beasts heard of this they were very sorry, for they looked on the lion as their king. One by one they went to see him. This was just what the lion wanted, for he could easily kill them one at a time, and then he grew fat on his prey.

At last a fox, who thought he knew what was going on, made up his mind to call on the old king and ask him how he did.

"Ah, my dear friend," said the lion, "how good of you to come and see me! But do not stand so far off. Come near and speak a word of hope to your poor king who has but a short time to live."

"Ah," said the fox, "I fear I must not stay as it grieves me to say so, for to tell the truth, the footmarks I see all point toward your den, and I think it strange that none of them point away from it."

Conundrums.

What is the political character of a water wheel? Revolutionary.

Why was England during Victoria's reign a very dry country? There was only one reign (rain) in fifty years.

How can it be proved that a horse has six legs? Because it has fore legs in front and two behind.

For what profession are the members of a boat crew best fitted? Dentistry, because they have a good pull.

Why ought a man who manages horses on a wagon be successful? Because he does a driving business.

Why do carpenters have great faith in soothsayers? Because they cannot work without an auger (augur).

Why are some women like teakettles? Because they sing away pleasantly and then all at once boil over.

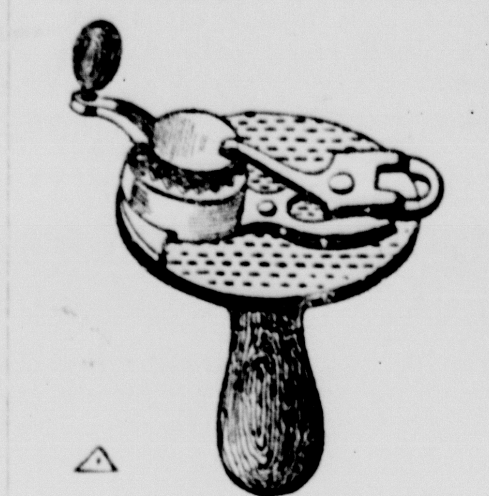
What is the difference between an engineer and a schoolmaster? One minds the trains; the other trains the minds.

A Famous Battle.

The battle of New Orleans—Jan. 8, 1815—was fought between a force of 12,000 British, under Sir Edward Pakenham, and Jackson's 6,000 Americans. The latter, in their strongly entrenched position, lost only eight killed and thirteen wounded. The British loss was 2,600 killed and wounded. The battle lasted twenty-five minutes.

HINTS FOR THE BUSY HOUSEWIFE

Nutmeg Grater That Aids Kitchen Economy.



A nutmeg grater that grates all the nutmeg down to the last scrap has been designed by a New York man. It also saves the housewife from grating off her finger nails and the tips of her fingers. The grater proper is circular and is attached to a wooden handle. Pivoted to the center is a revolving handle with a little cup in one end to hold the kernel and a spring cap to keep it in place and press it against the grater plate. The nutmeg is placed in this cap and the handle turned until the desired amount is ground off, the operation being much simpler than when kernel has to be rubbed across the grater by hand. Furthermore, the hand method results in waste, as after the nutmeg has been ground so small that it cannot be scraped without scraping the fingers as well it has heretofore had to be thrown away.

Household Notes.

A whisk broom inclosed in a bag of cheesecloth is unequalled for cleaning the corners of uncarpeted steps.

Fingers roughened by sewing should be well washed in warm water and then gently rubbed with pumice.

If onions are covered over while frying they will retain more of their moisture and will be of better flavor.

Hatpins should never be left in a wet hat, but should be taken out and rubbed perfectly dry to prevent rusting.

Milky tumblers should be washed in cold water. Putting them straight into hot water will cloud the glass permanently.

A tablespoonful of flour put into a kettle of ordinary boiled starch will cause cuffs, collars, etc., to be much stiffer.

For a salad out of the ordinary mix cream cheese with chopped olives and a boiled dressing. Serve on hearts of lettuce.

Mulligatawny Soup.

Get a knuckle of veal, have the bones cracked in two or three places, put into a stew pan and cover with water, and when it is half done cut off as much meat as you need for the soup and boil the bones and remainder of meat well down for stock. Let this stand till cold and skim off fat. Cut the meat in small pieces and fry them in butter with four onions sliced and floured, two dessertspoonfuls of curry powder, a little cayenne pepper and salt. Put these into the stew pan, add the stock with three or four cloves and a tablespoonful of lemon juice. Let the whole simmer one hour. Serve with plain boiled rice in a separate dish.

To Remove Ink Spots.

To remove ink spots from wash goods melt a piece of tallow and plunge the ink spot in the hot fat, then wash the piece at once and the ink will disappear. If it is a colored garment which will not wash, then drop melted wax on the spot, let it become hard and remove with a sharp knife. The ink will be soaked up by the wax, and if any stain remains from it place a clean piece of blotting paper over it and press with a hot iron to draw it out.

Golden Dip.

Trim crust from six slices of bread, toast on both sides and dip each slice in a deep dish containing a little hot milk in which a tablespoonful of butter has been melted. When moistened, take out, sprinkle with salt and lay in another dish. Take a quart of milk, bring to boiling point and thicken with two tablespoonfuls cornstarch dissolved in a little cold milk. Stir in two tablespoonfuls butter. When melted add beaten yolks of three eggs and pour over toast in dish.

Corn Bread.

One and one-fourth cupfuls bread flour, one cupful cornmeal (not the powdered meal), one level teaspoonful soda, two level teaspoonfuls cream of tartar, one of salt, three-quarters cupful granulated sugar. Sift all this three times. Add one egg, three tablespoonfuls melted butter, one and three-quarters cupfuls milk (sweet). This is made the same with sour milk by omitting cream of tartar.

English Pork Pie.

Cut lean fresh pork in strips, finger length, and put a layer in a pudding dish. Season with pepper and salt. Next add a layer of sliced apples sprinkled with sugar and bits of butter, then more pork, but have top layer of apple. Pour over it a cup of sweet cider; put on a rich pie crust rather thick, and cut slits in top for steam to escape. Bake in moderate oven one and one-half or two hours.

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FOR SALE—Nice, bright, baled straw by the bale or ton. A. C. Henkle. 28 3t

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WANTED—To purchase a bargain in secondhand trunk. Address P. O. box 124, City. 27 3t

WANTED—To buy shutters in good condition. Call phone 109 New Holland.

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LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Square brilliant belt pin. Reward for return to Palace theater.

LOST—Saturday evening, a small package containing two black veils. Return to Stutson's store. Reward. Jennie Clark.

LOST—Between Cherry Hotel and Jamestown on Jamestown pike, 1 tool roll with tools for automobile. Finder leave at Gossard's garage and receive reward. 29 3t

Theology and the Thermometer.

A point of theology is raised by Sir Francis Youngblood in "India and Tibet." "An interesting detail," he says, speaking of the religion of the natives, "is that their hell is not hot, but cold. If it were hot the inhabitants of frozen Tibet would all dock there."

Clever Auntie.

Traveler—It seems wonderful that Japanese dentists can take out teeth with their fingers. Little Jack—Auntie can take out hers with her fingers—every one of 'em!

Perfection.

Perfection does not exist. To understand it is the triumph of human intelligence; to desire to possess it is the most dangerous kind of madness.—Alfred de Musset.

English Injustice.

An Australian tourist traveling in the west of Ireland asked an old woman how far it was to the nearest town. She sadly looked at him, then sighed and said:

"It was five nice miles two years ago, but some English brute came over with chains and made it seven, and our hearts are broke walking it ever since. Bad luck to them!"

And she disappeared into the house, leaving him there.—Illustrated Hits.

Time to Make a Change.

Sir William Phips was appointed governor in chief of the province of Massachusetts Bay in 1692. During his administration the terrible war against witchcraft raged for some sixteen months. When his own wife, Lady Phips, was named as having exercised the powers of witchcraft Sir William began to view this whole terrible madness in a new light, and he put a stop to all trials and discharged the prisoners then awaiting trial.

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THE BROKEN ENGAGEMENT

How a Busybody Interrupted a Love Match.

July 15.—Well, it has come at last. Walter came out from the city yesterday, and after tea we climbed the hill and sat in the summer house. There he proposed to me. I haven't the slightest idea what he said. He had a hard time in getting it out, and I didn't help him a bit. He made several attempts before he was successful; then it came out incoherently. As soon as he began I knew what was coming, and that was all I cared about it. He talked on, while I was in a dirlum of joy and never heard a word. I don't believe he could repeat a sentence of what he said, and I'm sure I couldn't.

When we went back to the house we felt obliged to go into the library, where the family were. I felt so happy I wanted to tell them all about it then and there, but Walter looked as if he had been stealing sheep. I can't understand why men are so ashamed of giving way in public to their gentler emotions.

July 18.—Miss Graves came yesterday. She is to be with us a week. I wish she had stayed away. She listened peevishly to all I had to say about Walter and our engagement, then threw a bucket of cold water over me—at least she might as well have done so. She said she had heard of so many cases where men had deserted the girls they had professed to love that she had at last kept a record of engaged couples and found that out of twenty cases only five resulted in marriage.

In the others it was the man's fault every time.

I wonder how she knew that the man was always to blame.

Sept. 10.—We came home yesterday. Walter is unfortunately away on business. I'm sure he is away on business, though Miss Graves says that the probability is he has gone to the country to see some other girl. What nonsense! But I wish she hadn't said it.

Sept. 20.—I am very miserable. I was suspicious of Walter when he returned and showed it by being cool to him—that is, I wasn't at all demonstrative. I am not satisfied with the reason he gave for his absence. He admits that he spent one night at the seashore and that an old friend of his, Laura Goodwin, was there. Walter and I parted coldly.

Sept. 22.—Miss Graves told me she had heard that Laura Goodwin and Walter had once been on the eve of an engagement. She has convinced me that there is something in this matter and that Walter's visit to the seashore was for a purpose. Miss Graves has no faith in men whatever and advises me to be very careful what I do. She kindly took me into her confidence and told me that she had had a lover who treated her exactly as Walter is treating me—that is, as she thinks he is treating me. Her lover walked off deliberately and married another girl. This was ten years ago. I suppose I ought to rely on her more than I do, she is so much older than I and has

had so much more experience. Still, at times I distrust her.

Nov. 12.—It is all over. Our engagement is broken. Walter's visit to Laura Goodwin last September did it. At least that started it. Besides, Walter has been very jealous of Amelia Graves and has warned me repeatedly to keep away from her. If his conscience was clear he wouldn't mind how many friends I might have to "spy on him," for he says that's what Amelia is doing. How unkind! She is simply giving me the benefit of her experience. Holdicho! What a miserable world to live in! To think that Walter should have released me so easily. When I told him he was welcome to marry Laura Goodwin he said that she at least didn't have any known friends to advise her and she would trust him implicitly. If he marries her I don't know how I shall be able to refrain from murder.

Dec. 31.—I am so mad that I would like to tear the shingles off the roof. That woman, that thing, that meddling, meddling creature, Amelia Graves, has ruined me. Just listen to this:

Dearest Walter—I have the great joy to announce to you my engagement to Mr. Knapp. Spelling it out a terrible name, my love that I told you about. But I didn't tell you that his wife was dead. We met a week ago and he told me that he had never loved any one. He was very sympathetic of me, and was blaming her at all because she was a woman who had been married and was a true man. I am so happy. Your loving wife, AMELIA GRAVES.

P. S.—There is one other thing. Walter coming and. Ringer has it that he is devoted to Laura Goodwin.

Talk about men deserting women! If this fact the poorest case of a woman's deserting one of her own sex I don't know what meanness is. I'm nearly crazy.

Jan. 1.—Well, I'm happy once more after months of misery. I wrote a humble letter to Walter last night, and this afternoon he came in radiantly happy. He said he had no alternative but to let me go. I found out the inexpressible of having confidential friends who would prejudice me against him. He seemed to have known what Amelia Graves was doing just as well as if I had told him all about it.

Oh, I am so glad she "showed the cloven foot" before Walter had gone too far with Laura Goodwin.

We are to be married next June. Amelia will not be invited.

CARBOLIC ACID.

Peculiar Effect Pure Alcohol Has on This Irritant Poison.

One of the most frequent irritant poisons used for suicidal purposes is carbolic acid, and a more agonizing death could not be selected. Why any one should select this poison it is hard to understand unless on account of the fact that it is cheap and easily obtainable. This form of poisoning can usually be easily recognized by the odor, which is well known, and by the white burns or marks on the lips and mouth, which are typical of carbolic acid poisoning.

Send for the nearest physician, and in the meantime, as carbolic acid kills quickly, the first and treatment must be prompt in order to get results. If possible cause the patient to vomit by giving an emetic, such as ipecac or salt and water, a tablespoonful to a pint of warm water. This, however, frequently fails to work on account of the irritated condition of the mucous membrane of the stomach. One of the best chemical antidotes is sodium salt in solution. Another good chemical antidote is alcohol, the only trouble with this remedy being that it cannot be given in a pure form. It has to be diluted with water and for that reason loses its efficacy.

Just exactly why alcohol counteracts the effect of carbolic acid is not known, but if, for instance, carbolic acid is splashed on the hands and they are at once immersed in absolute alcohol there will be no resulting burn.—Dr. H. H. Hartung in National Magazine.

A Buttered Book.

How the Rev. Mr. Johnston, a Scottish minister and the author of numerous books, succeeded in getting one of his works reviewed by Alexander Russel, the distinguished editor of the Scotsman, is told by the writer of "Famous Editors."

A member of Mr. Johnston's congregation was an old and valued servant to Mr. Russel's family. When the minister published his new book he asked this member to bring it under the notice of her master, with the request to review it in the columns of the Scotsman. Glad to be of service to her master, the good woman lost no time in making her wish known to the celebrated editor and next morning placed "The Gospel Roll" beside his breakfast cup.

When at breakfast Mr. Russel took up the book and remarked, with a merry twinkle in his eye, "Helen, this is an awful dry roll which you have given me this morning."

"Perhaps it is, sir," the servant quickly replied, "but you can better it with on both sides."

Next morning an excellent review appeared.

SNAPSHOTS AT CELEBRITIES

Martin A. Knapp, Head of the Commerce Court.



Martin A. Knapp, presiding justice of the new commerce court, is recognized as one of the highest authorities in this country on corporation and commercial law. The commerce court was created June 18, 1910, by act of congress and has jurisdiction in all cases relating to commerce, especially matters arising from the decisions promulgated by the interstate commerce commission.

Judge Knapp is a native of New York state and a graduate of Wesleyan and of the law school of Syracuse university. He began the practice of his profession at Syracuse about forty years ago and for several years was corporation counsel of that city. In 1891 President Harrison made him a member of the interstate commerce commission, and he was reappointed by Harrison's successors. Since 1908 he has been chairman of that body.

Hammerstein's Sarcasm.

Oscar Hammerstein at the farewell dinner in New York that preceded his departure for the operatic pastures of London made an amusing speech on music.

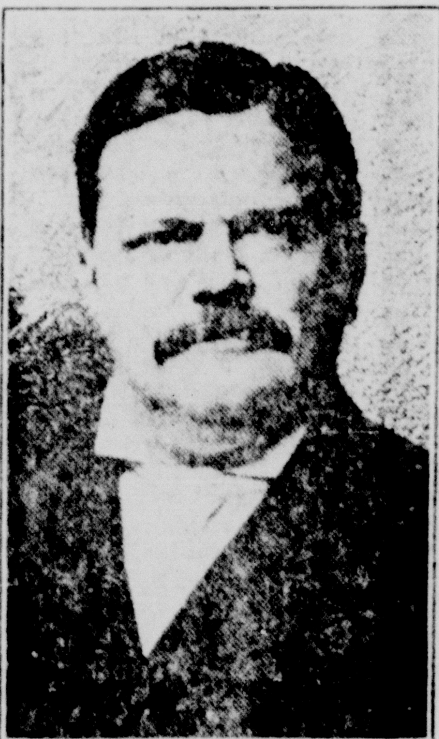
Mr. Hammerstein in the course of this speech praised Richard Strauss, Leoncavallo, Puccini and Debussy. Then he mentioned with scorn a half dozen composers of comic opera.

"Those fellows," he said, "may be divided into two broad classes—first, those who plagiarize from the street pianos and, second, those who write for them."

Uncle Sam's Solicitor General.

Frederick W. Lehmann of St. Louis, who succeeded the late Lloyd W. Bowers as solicitor general of the United States, is regarded as one of the great lawyers of the middle west. Not that his fame is confined to any section, however, for Mr. Lehmann is well known to lawyers throughout the nation and has been honored by the American Bar association by being elected president of that body.

Solicitor General Lehmann is a native of Prussia and fifty-eight years old. He came to this country when a



FREDERICK W. LEHMANN.

child and was educated in the public schools of Ohio and Indiana and in Taylor college, Ia., from which he was graduated in 1873. For some years Mr. Lehmann practiced law in Des Moines, but in 1890 went to St. Louis as attorney for the Wabash railroad. Later he established a law firm there. Mr. Lehmann was a government delegate at the universal congress of lawyers and jurists in St. Louis in 1904

and at the time of his appointment as solicitor general was chairman of the board of freeholders of St. Louis.

When Ochiltree Failed.

Senator Depew at a dinner in Washington said apropos of Christmas cheer:

"The famous Tom Ochiltree made a Christmas punch that was the wonder of New York and Washington. A diplomat once asked him for the punch's recipe. He answered, with his droll smile:

"The ingredients entering into this highly refreshing Christmas beverage are champagne, ice, cognac, lemon and aerated water. But in consequence of advancing years I always forget the aerated water."

Philosophic Tea.

The famous Adam Smith has all the proverbial absentmindedness of the philosopher. An amusing story of him is told in Mr. Fyvie's book, "Noble Dames and Notable Men of the Georgian Era." "Mr. Damer, it appears, called one morning upon the Scottish philosopher just as he was preparing his breakfast. As they talked the learned man took a piece of bread and butter in his hand and, after rolling it round and round, popped it into his teapot and poured the boiling water upon it. Damer watched with quiet amusement without drawing attention to this peculiar proceeding, and presently he had his reward, for when Adam Smith poured himself out a cup of this queer decoction and tasted it he quite innocently remarked to his visitor that it was the worst tea he had ever met with."

Not Stealing.

David Belasco delicately dissected a certain playwright one evening at a dinner given by the former to some of his friends of the theatrical profession. This playwright is successful and produces many plays, but, it is admitted, owes nearly all his best ideas to others.

"One night the playwright imagined that he heard a noise in his house," said Mr. Belasco. "He lighted a lamp, went downstairs, searched his library, parlor, dining room and kitchen, then went to the butler's pantry and there discovered a masked man kneeling over the chest of silverware.

"Aha!" said he huskily. "Stealing?" "Oh, no," replied the burglar calmly. "I'm only adapting."

Conkling and Thurman.

Senator Roscoe Conkling was once addressing the senate in an impassioned manner and seemed to direct his remarks to Senator Thurman. At length the latter got irritated.

"Does the senator from New York," he roared, "expect me to answer him every time he turns to me?"

For a moment Mr. Conkling hesitated, and everybody expected a terrific explosion. Then, with an air of exquisite courtesy, he replied:

"When I speak of the law I turn to the senator from Ohio as the Mussulman turns toward Mecca. I turn to him as I do to the English common law as the world's most copious fountain of human jurisprudence."

The usually decorous senate broke into a storm of applause, and the Thurman eye moistened a little. The two statesmen were the best of friends and greatly enjoyed each other's society when "off duty."

A Wetter if Not a Better Man.

A little man in the west of England rushed to the river last summer, swearing loudly that he would drown himself. When he had waded in to the depth of his waist his wife, who had followed him, seized him by the hair and then, as a local editor described it, she led him back till he reached a place where the water was about two feet deep, where she pulled him over backward and soused him under and pulled his head up again. "Drown yourself (down he went), leaving me to father the brats! (Another plunge). Get drunk (another souse) and start for the river! (Another dip). Better use the water instead of rum! (Another dip and shake of the head). I'll farn ye to leave me a widow!" After sizzling him to her heart's content she led him out a wetter if not a better man and escorted him into the house and closed the door.

The Gordian Knot.

The famous Gordian knot was made of leather taken from some part of the harness belonging to the chariot of Gordius, king of Phrygia. It seems that this knot was so tied that the ends of the leather thong were not visible, hence the difficulty in loosening it. Many must have tried to untie it, for its fame as a "sticker" at last reached the great oracle, which declared that the lucky experimenter should be rewarded by the kingship of Persia. Alexander, trying his hand and meeting with no better success than the others, drew his sword and cut into the knot until he found the ends of it.

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